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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS:**

- (X) This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. § 371.
- (X) The U.S. has been elected (Article 31).
- (X) A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) has been communicated by the International Bureau.
- (X) PCT/IB/308 enclosed.
- (X) Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have not been and will not be made.
- (X) An Oath or Declaration signed by the inventors (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)).

**OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:**

- (X) Preliminary Amendment in 9 pages.
- (X) 11 sheets of Drawings.
- (X) Power of Attorney form in 2 pages.
- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 equivalent listing references for consideration:
  - (X) Listing five (5) references.
  - (X) Enclosing five (5) references.
- (X) International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).
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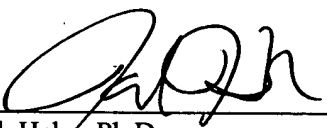
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The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

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